

## KENTUCKY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES

Preliminary March 2018

### AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS

U.S. Comparable Rate - 4.1%

	CLF	EMP	UNEMP	Mar 18	Feb 18	Mar 17
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>2,066,375</b>	<b>1,975,566</b>	<b>90,809</b>	<b>4.4%</b>	<b>4.7%</b>	<b>5.5%</b>
<b>COUNTY</b>						
<b>BARREN RIVER</b>	<b>142,986</b>	<b>137,273</b>	<b>5,713</b>	<b>4.0%</b>	<b>4.4%</b>	<b>4.7%</b>
ALLEN	9,021	8,682	339	3.8%	4.1%	4.4%
BARREN	19,612	18,708	904	4.6%	5.1%	5.0%
BUTLER	5,450	5,180	270	5.0%	5.3%	6.2%
EDMONSON	5,007	4,726	281	5.6%	6.3%	6.6%
HART	8,405	8,080	325	3.9%	4.3%	5.0%
LOGAN	12,549	12,051	498	4.0%	4.3%	4.7%
METCALFE	4,226	4,043	183	4.3%	4.8%	4.6%
MONROE	4,877	4,673	204	4.2%	4.4%	4.3%
SIMPSON	8,905	8,557	348	3.9%	4.3%	5.1%
WARREN	64,934	62,573	2,361	3.6%	4.1%	4.2%
<b>BIG SANDY</b>	<b>45,724</b>	<b>42,559</b>	<b>3,165</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>7.4%</b>	<b>10.2%</b>
FLOYD	11,816	11,036	780	6.6%	7.0%	9.8%
JOHNSON	7,278	6,777	501	6.9%	7.8%	9.7%
MAGOFFIN	3,031	2,610	421	13.9%	15.0%	18.5%
MARTIN	3,351	3,138	213	6.4%	6.6%	9.0%
PIKE	20,248	18,998	1,250	6.2%	6.4%	9.4%
<b>BLUEGRASS</b>	<b>414,707</b>	<b>399,120</b>	<b>15,587</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>4.0%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>
ANDERSON	11,523	11,092	431	3.7%	4.0%	4.8%
BOURBON	9,485	9,082	403	4.2%	4.6%	5.5%
BOYLE	12,788	12,216	572	4.5%	4.9%	5.7%
CLARK	17,254	16,526	728	4.2%	4.6%	5.2%
ESTILL	5,623	5,297	326	5.8%	6.4%	6.3%
FAYETTE	174,122	168,266	5,856	3.4%	3.6%	4.0%
FRANKLIN	24,633	23,694	939	3.8%	4.0%	4.6%
GARRARD	7,835	7,490	345	4.4%	4.6%	5.4%
HARRISON	8,758	8,397	361	4.1%	4.4%	5.2%
JESSAMINE	26,262	25,263	999	3.8%	3.9%	4.3%
LINCOLN	9,414	8,928	486	5.2%	5.6%	6.5%
MADISON	45,676	43,899	1,777	3.9%	4.2%	4.8%
MERCER	10,057	9,596	461	4.6%	4.8%	5.5%
NICHOLAS	3,348	3,197	151	4.5%	4.9%	6.2%
POWELL	5,201	4,872	329	6.3%	6.9%	7.4%
SCOTT	28,316	27,342	974	3.4%	3.7%	4.1%
WOODFORD	14,412	13,963	449	3.1%	3.3%	3.6%

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<b>COUNTY</b>						
<b>BUFFALO TRACE</b>	<b>23,287</b>	<b>21,877</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>6.1%</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>7.8%</b>
BRACKEN	3,894	3,688	206	5.3%	5.9%	7.3%
FLEMING	6,232	5,885	347	5.6%	6.4%	7.0%
LEWIS	4,969	4,540	429	8.6%	9.9%	10.5%
MASON	7,375	6,991	384	5.2%	5.8%	7.0%
ROBERTSON	817	773	44	5.4%	6.3%	7.3%
<b>CUMBERLAND VALLEY</b>	<b>81,522</b>	<b>76,770</b>	<b>4,752</b>	<b>5.8%</b>	<b>6.3%</b>	<b>7.7%</b>
BELL	8,790	8,220	570	6.5%	7.0%	8.7%
CLAY	5,621	5,234	387	6.9%	7.3%	9.5%
HARLAN	6,831	6,338	493	7.2%	7.6%	10.9%
JACKSON	4,140	3,851	289	7.0%	8.1%	9.3%
KNOX	10,343	9,680	663	6.4%	6.9%	8.1%
LAUREL	25,152	23,864	1,288	5.1%	5.5%	6.4%
ROCKCASTLE	6,719	6,368	351	5.2%	5.8%	6.9%
WHITLEY	13,926	13,215	711	5.1%	5.5%	6.3%
<b>FIVCO</b>	<b>49,880</b>	<b>46,343</b>	<b>3,537</b>	<b>7.1%</b>	<b>7.9%</b>	<b>9.3%</b>
BOYD	18,457	17,329	1,128	6.1%	6.4%	8.2%
CARTER	10,316	9,438	878	8.5%	10.1%	10.6%
ELLIOTT	2,192	1,995	197	9.0%	11.2%	11.6%
GREENUP	13,788	12,843	945	6.9%	7.6%	9.0%
LAWRENCE	5,127	4,738	389	7.6%	8.1%	10.4%
<b>GATEWAY</b>	<b>34,420</b>	<b>32,228</b>	<b>2,192</b>	<b>6.4%</b>	<b>7.5%</b>	<b>7.6%</b>
BATH	4,633	4,296	337	7.3%	8.6%	8.6%
MENIFEE	2,353	2,142	211	9.0%	10.8%	11.1%
MONTGOMERY	11,657	10,918	739	6.3%	7.4%	7.3%
MORGAN	4,544	4,216	328	7.2%	8.4%	9.4%
ROWAN	11,233	10,656	577	5.1%	6.0%	6.1%
<b>GREEN RIVER</b>	<b>100,401</b>	<b>95,880</b>	<b>4,521</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	<b>4.8%</b>	<b>5.5%</b>
DAVISS	47,903	45,946	1,957	4.1%	4.5%	4.8%
HANCOCK	4,108	3,928	180	4.4%	4.7%	5.5%
HENDERSON	22,225	21,335	890	4.0%	4.1%	5.5%
MCLEAN	4,390	4,162	228	5.2%	5.7%	5.6%
OHIO	9,854	9,199	655	6.6%	6.8%	7.3%
UNION	6,027	5,713	314	5.2%	5.7%	7.0%
WEBSTER	5,894	5,597	297	5.0%	5.1%	6.0%

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<b>KENTUCKY RIVER</b>	<b>31,225</b>	<b>29,052</b>	<b>2,173</b>	<b>7.0%</b>	<b>7.4%</b>	<b>10.2%</b>
BREATHITT	3,958	3,675	283	7.2%	7.9%	10.1%
KNOTT	4,527	4,206	321	7.1%	7.6%	10.5%
LEE	1,967	1,828	139	7.1%	8.0%	9.1%
LESLIE	2,730	2,530	200	7.3%	7.6%	11.1%
LETCHER	6,322	5,882	440	7.0%	7.1%	10.6%
OWSLEY	1,133	1,046	87	7.7%	8.2%	8.9%
PERRY	8,590	8,037	553	6.4%	6.7%	9.8%
WOLFE	1,998	1,848	150	7.5%	8.4%	10.5%
<b>KIPDA</b>	<b>520,276</b>	<b>500,315</b>	<b>19,961</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>4.0%</b>	<b>4.8%</b>
BULLITT	41,789	40,171	1,618	3.9%	4.2%	4.7%
HENRY	8,057	7,746	311	3.9%	4.2%	4.5%
JEFFERSON	399,237	383,627	15,610	3.9%	4.1%	4.9%
OLDHAM	32,975	31,895	1,080	3.3%	3.5%	3.8%
SHELBY	24,338	23,504	834	3.4%	3.8%	3.8%
SPENCER	9,974	9,626	348	3.5%	3.9%	4.2%
TRIMBLE	3,906	3,746	160	4.1%	4.6%	5.6%
<b>LAKE CUMBERLAND</b>	<b>83,412</b>	<b>78,914</b>	<b>4,498</b>	<b>5.4%</b>	<b>5.8%</b>	<b>6.6%</b>
ADAIR	6,973	6,575	398	5.7%	6.3%	7.3%
CASEY	6,864	6,543	321	4.7%	5.0%	5.4%
CLINTON	3,822	3,609	213	5.6%	6.2%	7.6%
CUMBERLAND	2,984	2,846	138	4.6%	5.8%	6.1%
GREEN	5,312	5,082	230	4.3%	4.2%	5.3%
MCCREARY	4,954	4,648	306	6.2%	7.1%	7.4%
PULASKI	25,818	24,440	1,378	5.3%	5.7%	6.2%
RUSSELL	6,242	5,846	396	6.3%	6.8%	8.8%
TAYLOR	12,859	12,324	535	4.2%	4.4%	5.5%
WAYNE	7,584	7,001	583	7.7%	8.1%	8.7%
<b>LINCOLN TRAIL</b>	<b>124,940</b>	<b>119,669</b>	<b>5,271</b>	<b>4.2%</b>	<b>4.6%</b>	<b>5.4%</b>
BRECKINRIDGE	8,353	7,892	461	5.5%	6.0%	6.8%
GRAYSON	10,996	10,469	527	4.8%	5.3%	6.7%
HARDIN	48,745	46,747	1,998	4.1%	4.4%	5.2%
LARUE	6,065	5,798	267	4.4%	4.8%	5.3%
MARION	9,434	9,102	332	3.5%	3.8%	4.8%
MEADE	12,247	11,675	572	4.7%	4.9%	5.8%
NELSON	22,736	21,848	888	3.9%	4.4%	5.1%
WASHINGTON	6,364	6,138	226	3.6%	3.8%	4.4%

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<b>NORTHERN KENTUCKY</b>	<b>238,487</b>	<b>229,829</b>	<b>8,658</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>4.0%</b>	<b>4.6%</b>
BOONE	68,878	66,456	2,422	3.5%	3.8%	4.4%
CAMPBELL	49,960	48,296	1,664	3.3%	3.6%	4.3%
CARROLL	4,912	4,693	219	4.5%	4.9%	5.5%
GALLATIN	3,937	3,770	167	4.2%	4.6%	5.4%
GRANT	11,603	11,077	526	4.5%	5.1%	5.6%
KENTON	86,636	83,526	3,110	3.6%	3.9%	4.6%
OWEN	5,521	5,290	231	4.2%	4.5%	5.1%
PENDLETON	7,040	6,721	319	4.5%	5.1%	5.4%
<b>PENNYRILE</b>	<b>85,388</b>	<b>80,919</b>	<b>4,469</b>	<b>5.2%</b>	<b>5.6%</b>	<b>6.5%</b>
CALDWELL	5,516	5,252	264	4.8%	5.3%	6.0%
CHRISTIAN	25,339	24,043	1,296	5.1%	5.4%	6.9%
CRITTENDEN	4,183	3,963	220	5.3%	5.6%	6.3%
HOPKINS	20,140	19,218	922	4.6%	4.7%	5.7%
LIVINGSTON	3,755	3,476	279	7.4%	8.2%	8.3%
LYON	2,970	2,808	162	5.5%	6.3%	7.1%
MUHLENBERG	12,129	11,331	798	6.6%	7.1%	7.1%
TODD	5,492	5,276	216	3.9%	4.4%	4.7%
TRIGG	5,864	5,552	312	5.3%	5.7%	6.5%
<b>PURCHASE</b>	<b>89,720</b>	<b>84,821</b>	<b>4,899</b>	<b>5.5%</b>	<b>5.9%</b>	<b>6.2%</b>
BALLARD	3,643	3,371	272	7.5%	8.3%	8.6%
CALLOWAY	18,745	17,991	754	4.0%	4.6%	4.8%
CARLISLE	2,376	2,249	127	5.3%	6.0%	8.0%
FULTON	2,045	1,923	122	6.0%	6.3%	7.9%
GRAVES	16,035	15,212	823	5.1%	5.4%	6.5%
HICKMAN	1,750	1,636	114	6.5%	7.6%	8.1%
MCCRACKEN	29,857	28,056	1,801	6.0%	6.3%	6.4%
MARSHALL	15,269	14,383	886	5.8%	6.5%	5.9%
<b>BOWLING GREEN MSA</b>	<b>84,412</b>	<b>81,161</b>	<b>3,251</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>4.3%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>
<b>ELIZABETHTOWN MSA</b>	<b>67,057</b>	<b>64,220</b>	<b>2,837</b>	<b>4.2%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	<b>5.3%</b>
<b>LEXINGTON MSA</b>	<b>269,851</b>	<b>260,442</b>	<b>9,409</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>4.2%</b>
<b>LOUISVILLE MSA</b>	<b>667,317</b>	<b>642,612</b>	<b>24,705</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>4.0%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>
<b>OWENSBORO MSA</b>	<b>56,401</b>	<b>54,036</b>	<b>2,365</b>	<b>4.2%</b>	<b>4.6%</b>	<b>4.9%</b>

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